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In re Patent Application of)

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For: DIARYSELENIDE COMPOUNDS)
AND THEIR USE IN HUMAN OR)
VETERINARY MEDICINE AND IN)
COSMETICS)

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly cancel claim 14 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Kindly amend the claims as follows:

1. (Amended) Compounds[, characterized in that they correspond to] having
the general formula (I) below:

